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In re Application of:)	Conf. No.: 9165
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SUBMISSION OF AMENDED BRIEF IN REPLY TO
"NOTIFICATION OF NON-COMPLIANT APPEAL BRIEF"

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Randolph Building, Mail Stop: Amendment
401 Dulany Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Replying to the "Notification of Non-Compliant
Appeal Brief" mailed January 12, 2009, please find attached
hereto an amended Brief. Approval and entry are respectfully
requested.

The statement of the status of claims has been
corrected to take into account that claims 5 and 6 are also
canceled.

In the claims appendix, claim 27 now appears without
the brackets which pointed out clerical or typographical
errors. In claim 27, line 6, the word "thereon" should be
"thereof; and in line 9, "fraction of" should be "fraction

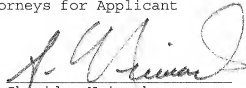
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thereof". It is appellants' intent to correct claim 27 at
appellants' first opportunity.

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